

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

The following listing of claims replaces all prior listings of claims in the present application.

What Is Claimed Is:

1. (currently amended) A portable telephone terminal device comprising:
a recording medium adapted to record information of a subscriber, and
means for restricting execution of a service that incurs payment, except for a telephone
call [[fee]] service, based on information indicative of a master-slave relation recorded in said
recording medium.
2. (currently amended) A portable telephone terminal device as defined in claim 1, wherein:
said restriction means executes restriction according to one of a permission or no
permission and a restriction from a second terminal device having a second recording medium
that records information indicative of the master-slave relation when the information recorded in
the second recording medium of the second terminal device indicates the second terminal device
is a being master, and when the information recorded in the recording medium of a first the
portable telephone terminal device is indicative of indicates the portable telephone terminal
device is a slave.
3. (currently amended) A portable telephone terminal device as defined in claim 2, wherein:
said restriction means forcibly terminates said service when no response is received or

permission the restriction is received from the first second terminal device that records the information indicative of the master.

4. (currently amended) A portable telephone terminal device as defined in claim 2, wherein:
said recording medium is one of a User Identity Module (UIM) card, a Subscriber Identity Module (SIM) card, [[or]] and a Universal Subscriber Identity Module (USIM) card.

5. (currently amended) A method for restricting pay service for a portable telephone terminal device comprising:

recording in a recording medium information, of a subscriber, indicative of a master-slave relation,

deciding whether the information recorded in the recording medium [[is]] indicates a master or a slave, and

restricting execution of a service that incurs payment except for a telephone call [[fee]] service, based on the decision.

6. (currently amended) A method for restricting pay service as defined in claim 5, wherein:
said restricting step is performed according to one of a permission or no permission and a restriction from a second terminal device which has a second recording medium that records information indicative of the master-slave relation when the information recorded in the second recording medium of the second terminal device indicates the second terminal device is a being master, and when the information recorded in said recording medium of a first the portable

telephone terminal device is indicative of indicates the portable telephone terminal device is a slave.

7. (currently amended) A method for restricting pay service as defined in claim 6, wherein:
said restriction step forcibly terminates said service when no response is received or no permission the restriction is received from the second terminal device that records the information indicative of the master.

8. (currently amended) A method for restricting pay service as defined in claim 5, wherein:
said recording medium is one of a User Identity Module (UIM) card, a Subscriber Identity Module (SIM) card [[SIM]], [[or]] and a Universal Subscriber Identity Module (USIM) card.

9. (new) A system of managing mobile communication devices, comprising:
an arrangement for receiving from a mobile device a request for a special fee service;
an arrangement for querying the mobile device for an indication of a master-slave status;
and
an arrangement for providing the special fee service if the mobile device is a master device.

10. (new) A system of managing mobile communication devices as defined in claim 9, further comprising:

an arrangement for receiving an authorization from a further mobile device associated with the mobile device;
wherein if the mobile device is a slave device, the special fee service is not provided unless the authorization is received from the further mobile device.